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METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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AMENDMENT/SUBMISSION

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed October 25, 2005 in the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

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SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

If checked, an abstract (an amended abstract) is submitted herewith.
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